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FLT NUMBER 30 WAS AIRBORNE AT 0840 LOCAL 3 AUG 62. WEIGHT AT T.O. WAS 75,000 POUNDS WITH CG 20.2 PER CENT. AB CLIMB AT 350 KEAS TO 26,000 FEET THEN MACH .90 TO 40,000 FEET. CLIMB PROCEDURES BEING CHECKED AND PILOT PARKS SAID THIS SCHEDULE FELT GOOD. BY-PASS DOORS WERE CYCLED USING BOTH MANUAL AND AUTO POSITIONS TO CHECK FOR NON-MOVEMENT OF SPIKE. AUTO PILOT CHECK MADE - 30 DEGREE LEFT BANK TO LEVEL USING CONTROL STICK STEERING THE SECOND 30 DEGREE BANK ENTERED - NO CONTROL STICK STEERING USED - RELEASED STICK ACFT RETURNED TO LEVEL FLIGHT AS SUPPOSED SERIES OF AIR CONDITIONER CHECKS - TWO MINUTES HOT THEN TWO MINUTES COLD WORKED FINE. PILOT OPERATED PRESSURE DUMP SWITCH AT 28,000 FEET - IT WORKED FINE. THEN DESCENT MADE TO 20,000 FEET 400 IAS AND AIRSPEED DROPPED IN 20 KT INCREMENTS AND AIRSPEED CALIBRATION CHECK WITH F-104. FLY BY AT 325 IAS DUMPED 5,000 POUNDS FUEL AND LANDED AT APPROXIMATELY 200 FEET.

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USUAL TAILWIND CROSSWIND - NO PROBLEMS. CHUTE

DEPLOYED NORMALLY, RIGHT INBOARD TIRE BLEW, ACFT STEADY.

LAC FORCE REDUCING GREATLY THIS WEEK-END. NO FLIGHT
MONDAY. FLT TUESDAY SCHEDULED TO DETERMINE MAX SPEED/ALTITUDE CAPBILITY OF A-12 WITH J-75 ENGINES. PILOT WILL WEAR PRESSURE SUIT.

END OF MESSAGE

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